

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 1, 1882.

BREAKFAST BRIEFS.

A complete Collection of News Items and Happenings of the Day.

Ask Marwede how about 183.

Las Vegas takes the cake when it comes to solid business.

Mr. J. S. Elston has built a handsome addition to his residence.

Regular meeting of Las Vegas chapter No. 3, Monday night, for work.

The Optic office was moved into its new quarters yesterday afternoon.

Messrs. J. W. Gray and Sam Peltier are building a hotel at Nutt station.

A huge black bear skin graces the front of the express office at Glorieta.

The soiled doves of the burned dance hall flew to the west side and made merry.

The Ross colored minstrels will appear at Baca hall Monday and Tuesday nights.

Dan Harrigan, formerly of this city, is keeping a first-class hotel at Nutt station.

The advantages of our water works system was demonstrated yesterday morning.

J. M. Gardner will build a residence soon on the hill next to Theo. Wagner's place.

Choice lots in Lake Valley are selling at \$1,000, and at \$150 in the new camp of Kingstons.

The loss by the fire yesterday morning footed up \$10,000, with an insurance of \$4,500.

Hon. Tranquillo Luna is seriously afflicted with the rheumatism at his home in Las Lunas.

Politics has not penetrated the southern country yet. The people are all too busy to think of such things.

Cosgrove's stage line between Nutt station and Kingston is doing a land office business in the carrying trade.

The east side hose company saved the town from a big conflagration, and they are receiving words of praise from all sides.

The east side hose company yesterday morning saved Las Vegas ten times over the cost of their outfit and their expenses thus far.

J. W. Bell's English Kitchen, just east of the bridge, is becoming a popular boarding place. For a good meal at a living price go there.

One of the dance hall girls remarked yesterday that some religious individual had set fire to their shebang and burned them out of house and home.

The fall term of the Academy of the Immaculate Conception will commence on the 16th of this month. The prospect for a full attendance is flattering.

There seems to be a prevailing sentiment that Mr. Manzanares will accept the democratic nomination. If so there will be music in the political atmosphere.

M. Romero & Bro. are in receipt of an immense stock of new goods. They have recently unloaded two car loads. Their sales during a week foot up in large figures.

Wm. Heimke lost on Friday last between the depot and Plaza hotel a buckle and ring to his watch. A suitable reward will be paid to the finder by leaving it at the Plaza hotel.

John J. Ludi has opened up a meat market on Main street in the building formerly occupied by B. C. Rountree. He keeps the very nicest and best of all kinds of meats in the market.

Felix Papa has a fine lot of water jars, milk pots, flower vases, etc., all of home manufacture, which he will sell cheap. The manufacture of this ware is a small industry, which should be encouraged.

Tom Gates, the colored cook, set up at Billy's last evening the most artistically decorated lunch which has ever been spread in the city. It was nice enough for a wedding supper. Tom understands the business.

The Ross colored minstrels are billed to appear on Monday and Tuesday nights, in this city. They are genuine colored minstrels, and not white men blacked up, and come with good notices and recommendations.

Carl Wilderstein came over from Watrous yesterday. As a member of the central committee of Mora county he has issued a call for a republican convention to select a county ticket at Mora on the 16th of this month.

Nat Wright is a popular man with the boys and keeps a neat place down on Railroad avenue, well stocked with the best brands of liquors, wines and cigars, and which is liberally patronized. It is headquarters for the railroad men.

Wack & Gardner have commenced the manufacture of vinegar by a new process. Their manufactory is situated near the pop factory of Wiegman. They make four barrels per day of excellent vinegar and will be enabled to sell it at twenty-five cents per gallon.

The remains of Charles Wilson and Andrew Anderson the unfortunate men killed at the explosion at Ortiz station the other day, were brought to this city yesterday. The bodies of both men were found nearly one hundred feet from where the explosion took place.

The engineers of the New Mexico Central and Northern railroad will start to-morrow to go over the proposed line. Mr. G. G. Lyman, we understand is to do the work. R. M. Town will furnish the transportation. It now begins to look as if this road would ever prove a reality. A few more such moves will give the people some confidence in the enterprise.

LAKE VALLEY.

Who Are There, and What They Are Doing.

The great excitement engendered throughout the territory by the rich strikes in the Lake Valley and Kingston districts, prompted a GAZETTE reporter to turn his attention in that direction; consequently he gathered his grip and blankets, a few days ago, and started for the country where the wheel of fortune in its fickle turning has made men rich in an hour.

The ride from Las Vegas southward is a pleasant one at this season of the year, as Old Sol does not send his rays so vertical as he did a few months ago. In the morning, just at sunrise, the train filled with passengers on their way to the silver fields pulled into Nutt station, the nearest railroad station to Lake Valley. At present it is not a very inviting place, but few houses as yet having been erected, but a bright future is beginning to cast its light before and Nutt station may yet make itself felt as a good point.

Ed Moore is running an excellent restaurant there, and Dan Harrigan, an old Las Vegas is keeping the only hotel in the place. He keeps a well arranged house and sets a good table.

R. B. Boone keeps a well ordered saloon and is doing a thriving business, tending up the appetites of those destined for the mines.

Mr. J. W. Gray has also commenced the erection of a large hotel at this point.

After a hastily dispatched breakfast fifteen or twenty wealthy seekers clambered into or on top of one of Cosgrove's six-horse concord coaches, which had pulled up in front of the office, and started for Lake Valley.

About as many more men took passage on an independent line.

The road is level and smooth, the entire distance and the scenery along the road is varied and beautiful. The twelve miles intervening between the station and the new city was soon passed over, and at 9 o'clock the anxious wayfarers were landed at their destination.

Lake Valley is a wonderful city, and the bustle and noise puts one in mind of the early days of east Las Vegas.

The sound of the hammer and saw is the only noise to be heard. It is now only about five weeks old and yet it contains fifty or sixty business houses, and others are going up rapidly.

The only trouble is to get lumber fast enough, but the enterprising lumber firm of Leavitt & Watson are doing heroic service in supplying this need. They have erected a large building for storing saws, doors, etc., and their stock of other lumber is the best to be found in the country. Lumber commands about \$45 per thousand, and is sold as fast as it can be laid on the ground.

The Sierra hotel is the principal stopping place at present, and is doing a splendid business. It is almost impossible for the genial proprietors to supply the demands of the transient custom.

Bradley & Turner have a well ordered saloon. They are making money by doing a square business.

A. M. James, formerly of this city, has pitched his tent in the new field and has an extensive trade in the general merchandise business.

Smith brothers also have a large two-story store.

Cotton & Duke were the first to get their saloon in ship shape, and are consequently reaping the reward. Their billiard tables and back bar fixtures are as good as can be found in towns of much greater age.

The Cobweb saloon keeps a large stock of liquors and boasts the first pool table in the town.

J. McIntyre, formerly of this city, is marshal, and puts in his time keeping the boys straight. He makes a good, as well as a good looking officer.

Southwick & Berela carry a large line of miners' supplies and general merchandise. They are doing well.

McBride & Cloborg are just finishing a 25x60 foot billiard hall. It will be furnished with three billiard tables and handsome break bar fixtures and carry one of the largest lines of goods in the camp. They formerly did business at the Lake but the building of the new city necessitated a change of base.

Will Huggins, a genial saloonist of White Oaks, has erected a fine saloon in the new Eldorado and commands a good share of the trade, which, of course is not small.

B. D. Bennett is also driving a thriving liquor trade.

Col. A. Woodall is building a large adobe hotel. It will soon be ready for occupancy.

E. A. Dorwart is following the wood-butchery business, and, of course, has more than he can attend to.

H. P. Alden, formerly with Fred. Benitez, is putting up a handsome jewelry store. He will put in a full line of goods.

G. N. Rhodes, formerly with Robbins & Moody, of this city, is going into business in Lake Valley.

R. F. Brownrigg is erecting a good sized adobe hotel.

Mr. Clapp, the postmaster, is just completing a handsome adobe office and business house.

There are two blacksmith and wagon shops in the town, which have all the work they can do.

John F. Kopp has secured a neat building and is putting in a full line of stationary and periodicals.

As a business point Lake Valley is a success. We have only been able to give an outline of the business which has sprung up in so short a time, and the town is growing so rapidly that a report made at one time would necessarily be imperfect as to the business a week later.

Chas. W. Green, formerly of the New Mexican, will issue the first number of the Lake Valley Herald on the 5th of October. He is meeting with the best of success in his new enterprise.

The mines of Lake Valley and the Kingston district will be treated of in a subsequent article.

The festival at San Miguel.

The festival in honor of the patron saint of San Miguel which was observed on Thursday evening of this week was a grand occasion and was participated in by at least four thousand people.

Rev. J. B. Fayet, the parish priest of San Miguel had made extensive preparations for the day. San Miguel is situated centrally for a large population up and down the Pecos valley in this country. It was formerly the county seat for this county and although it has not enjoyed for many years its ancient prestige, yet it is still a center for considerable trade, and since the building of the railroad which crosses the Pecos a short distance above it, considerable improvements have been made and new life infused into the town.

Rev. J. B. Fayet is the parish priest and is a zealous worker in the Lord's vineyard, and lets no opportunity pass by which he can advance the dominion of religion.

A general invitation was extended to all to be present at the festivities Thursday which was well responded to.

There were sixteen priests from various portions of the county and territory who participated in the solemnities of the occasion. Among those present a GAZETTE reporter obtained the following names: Rev. Fathers Defuria, Santa Fe; J. M. Coudert, Gentile, Mari, Rossi, Massa, and Tamasini, Las Vegas; A. Fourchog, Sapello, Guerin and J. Accorsini, Mora; R. Martinez, Pena Blanca; Malleuche, Pecos; Redon, Anton Chico.

Vespers was observed at 6 o'clock, rendered by Rev. Father Defuria, of Santa Fe, assisted by Fathers Redon and J. Accorsini.

The church was beautifully illuminated, and the plaza lit up with bonfires and torches, and a fine display of fireworks. The procession was formed with statues of St. Michael and of the blessed virgin, carried in advance, and marched around the plaza. At 10 o'clock mass was celebrated with solemnity by Rev. Father Gentile, assisted by Fathers Redon and Tomasini, and a most eloquent sermon was delivered by Rev. J. Accorsini, assistant priest of Mora. The text was from Apostles XII, 10, and was highly appropriate to the occasion. Rev. Accorsini is a young man, born and educated in Canada, and is a speaker of rare abilities and eloquence. His sermon was highly appreciated by all who had the pleasure of listening to him.

Father Fayet is to be congratulated on having made so great a success of the festival, which will long be remembered by the people of San Miguel.

Card of Thanks.

To the officers and men of the East Side Hose company, who, with most excellent judgment, and by vigorous effort, saved my property from fire yesterday morning. I offer my heartfelt thanks; and to others who labored and guarded to the same end, I am thoroughly grateful, and beg to assure all that I appreciate to the full the great service rendered me. The prompt appearance of the hose company on the scene of action and its effective work show how invaluable to the community is this organization, whose sole purpose is to defend without price any and all against the calamity of fire.

Respectfully,
O. L. Houghton.

Prospectus.

Mr. J. A. Murphy, of this city, will start for the Pecos country on a prospecting tour about Wednesday or Thursday. A company has been formed to keep him in the field, and all those desiring to join the company and give him their aid will do well to see him before that time. His terms are very reasonable and the field is a rich one. It is a rare chance for people in this city to secure mining interests at a very small expense. Mr. Murphy is an experienced prospector and will make an honest effort to do well by his employers. This is an opportunity that should not be slighted. Give him your names and a few dollars and secure an interest in the promised land.

A Card.

LAS VEGAS, N. M., Sept. 30, 1882.

Messrs. Editors GAZETTE:—Dear Sirs:—Please allow Mrs. McCurdy and myself, through the medium of your valuable paper, the privilege of returning our heartfelt thanks to the many citizens, and the local committee in particular, for their untiring efforts last night to save our humble home, the "Old Topeka House," from the flames, and also that as long as we keep the same the best accommodations of the Old Topeka house shall be open and free to the fire companies of Las Vegas.

Very respectfully,
JAMES MCCURDY AND WIFE.

Conductor E. H. Wilcox, of the mountain division, has been assigned to the Hot Springs run. Conductor Johnson will take the mountain run. We are glad to see Mr. Wilcox get a new deal as he has worked faithfully on Glorieta mountain for the last three years. He came up yesterday.

Roll of Honor.

Of the Academic Department of the Las Vegas Academy, for the month ending September 30, 1882: Etta Allen, Eva Hubbell, Mollie Garrard, Abbie McMichael, Natalia Stonerod, Samuel Davis, William Hilton, Clarence Rowe, Carrie Hopkins, Betty Garrard, Nelly Lahey, Josie Steops, Nelly Therpe, Fred Lee, Bertie Parker, John E. Sutfin.

The first month of the Academy for the present year closed on Friday, with the usual written examinations on the months work. The total number enrolled for the month is 125, with an average daily attendance of 107. The professor of music has begun his work with a large class. Vocal lessons are now given to the members of the academy free of charge.

PERSONAL.

R. Dunn and wife, of Rincon, are in the city.

Col. Craig and his wife, of Santa Fe, are in the city.

Mrs. Dr. Robbins and family left for Kansas City yesterday.

Jose Arzancot, a Puerta de Luna merchant, is in the city.

F. E. Bell, of the firm of Steops & Bell, goes to Santa Fe to-day.

Mrs. Wm. Heimke and daughter arrived from the south yesterday.

Mrs. M. A. Otero and daughter, Mami, will start for Brooklyn to-day.

M. M. Chase, wife and son, went up to their home in Colfax county yesterday.

Col. Prichard, with a party, will go up to the mountains to-day to hunt and fish.

Colonel Shelby arrived from Santa Fe yesterday. He has just returned from a trip to Lake Valley.

R. H. Hills, of Colorado Springs, and J. H. Rowley, of Michigan, are registered at the Sumner house.

CHURCH SERVICES.

BAPTIST CHAPEL.

Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Rev. T. T. Potter, pastor. Sabbath school at 10 a. m. Sabbath review service at 2 p. m.

The colored people will hold services at the Baptist Chapel, Sixth street, at 3:30 p. m.

FEMALE SEMINARY.

Religious services at the Seminary to-day. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Rev. W. Welsh. Sabbath school at 3 p. m. Free seats and a hearty welcome.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Services this morning at 11 o'clock. Evening service at 7:30. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.

CATHOLIC CHURCH.

To-day there will be a low mass at 8 o'clock, a. m., expressly for English speaking Catholics at which time a sermon will be delivered in English. In consequence of this the first mass will be at 6 o'clock, the second at 8 o'clock, and high mass at 9:30 a. m. Vespers at 3 o'clock p. m.

Rev. J. M. COUDERT, Parish Priest.

M. E. CHURCH.

Services to-day at M. E. Church at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Rev. W. R. Kistler will preach Sunday evening.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

Bishop Dunlop will officiate to-day both morning and evening in St. Paul's chapel. The Bishop having changed his residence from Santa Fe to Las Vegas, we may expect to have the pleasure of listening to him frequently.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

PLAZA.

C. S. Webster, St. Louis; M. M. Chase, Cincinnati; E. W. Parker, St. Louis; A. Candale, San Francisco; W. Craig and wife, Taos; Miss Anna Brown, Carl W. Wilderstein, Watrous; B. Daily and Chas. Dodel, Rincon; Jean Jimola, Puerto de Luna; Jose Arzancot, Puerta de Luna; Mrs. Wm. Heimke and daughter, R. Dunn, Rincon.

The Presbyterian church of this city expect to run an excursion train to Chihuahua, Mexico, a distance of 610 miles from Las Vegas, starting October 2nd. This is an enterprise of no little magnitude, and no doubt will be a great benefit to the church, both as to the pleasure of travel and the financial return. The round trip fare has been placed at \$22. All who possibly can should avail themselves of this opportunity of sight seeing, for it is a rare chance. — Christian Mirror.

The Grand Army of the Republic is preparing for a celebration and entertainment on the 9th of October, the anniversary of Sheridan's famous ride to the battle field of Winchester. The committee on arrangements is preparing an interesting programme. Judge Lee and other local speakers will deliver addresses.

Fruit and Grocery Store.

L. B. Kendrick, the popular fruit stand man, has opened out a large stock of first-class groceries and fresh fruits in Stern's old stand. He sells at cash prices for cash. He would be pleased to have his old customers call and examine his stock.

A Change.

Having sold our entire interest in the book and stationary business to L. C. Elkin, we now thank the public for the patronage heretofore extended to us, and hoping a continuance to the new firm of L. C. Elkin in the future, we remain, Very Respectfully,

FURLONG & TYLER.

Notice.

I have commenced a private boarding house, in C. Cranston's residence on Eighth street, near Douglas, near the street railway. Twelve or fifteen private boarders will receive the best of accommodations. Enquire of

9-19-82. Miss C. DOLAN.

Notice.

John F. Kopp has been appointed agent for the GAZETTE at Lake Valley. He will deliver the paper to subscribers and collect money due on subscriptions.

Notice.

Excursion tickets will be sold on to-morrow until the train starts. The train will leave at 12:30 o'clock, local time.

If you want a nice wool or hair mattress, call on Arey.

If you want a nice woven wire or solid comfort spring, call on Arey.

If you want curtains or curtain poles or lambrequins, call on Arey. 9-31-82.

Mora County Republican Convention.

A delegate convention of the republican party of Mora county is hereby called to meet at the court house in the town of Mora, Mora county, on Monday, the 16th of October, 1882, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of electing a delegate to the territorial convention, three county commissioners and corner, the various precincts are entitled to send three delegates each.

CARL W. WILDERSTEIN, Member of the republican territorial central executive committee and chairman for Mora county.

Convencion Republicana del Condado de Mora.

Una delegacion a la convencion por el partido republicano del condado de Mora es por ende llamada a reunirse en la casa de corte en la plaza y condado de Mora, el Lunes, 16 de Octubre, 1882, a las dos de la tarde de dicho dia con el fin de elegir las nominaciones de un delegado al consejo territorial, dos representantes, algunos miembros de la corte de probados, tres comisionados de condado, tres comisionados de es cuclias y un conarario.

Los caros presentes estan intitula dos a sus representantes por tres delegados cada uno.

CARL W. WILDERSTEIN; Miembro de la comision central ejecutiva territorial y presidente por el condado de Mora. 30-91

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1863	Travelers Life & Accident Ins. Co.	Hartford	6,114,502 70
1838	Liverpool, London & Globe	Liverpool and London	31,665,184 05
1853	Home Fire Insurance Co.	New York	6,995,509 28
1720	London Assurance Corporation	London	15,886,111 16
1854	Phoenix Insurance Co.	Hartford	4,309,972 53
1858	Queen Insurance Co.	Liverpool	4,821,237 06
1849	Springfield Fire & Marine	Springfield, Mass.	2,255,807 82
1861	Commercial Union	London	9,698,571 24
1794	Insurance Co. of North America	Philadelphia	8,818,871 35
1879	Lion Fire Insurance Co.	London	1,340,141 14
1825	Pennsylvania Fire Insurance Co.	Philadelphia	2,237,615 53
1877	Fire Insurance Association	London	1,331,782 01
1850	Niagara	New York	1,735,563 32
1809	North British & Mercantile	London and Edinburgh	9,234,569 12
1824	Scottish Union & National	Edinburgh and London	33,041,045 17
1819	Aetna	Hartford	8,902,272 64
Total			240,844,921 41

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Notice.

I having this day, September 18th, leased a new building for the purpose of opening a first-class bakery and candy factory, I will, therefore, sell the business of the Kansas Farm. I have a lease of five years now standing me \$26 per month, still leaving a room 12x20, suitable for a barber, butcher or small grocery, which can be easily rented for \$30 per month. Chas. Gentile. Apply for particulars at Fitzgerald's real estate office or at the Kansas Farm. 9-19-82

FAMOUS.

EWES FOR SALE.

A Splendid Opportunity to Buy Sheep.

I will have by the 1st of September in the vicinity of Las Vegas 25,000 young New Mexican ewes for sale. For information apply to Don Feliciano Gutierrez at Pinkerton. J. M. PEREA. 8-2-81

Announcement.